

Legal Aid Resources in Maine

Lawyer Referral Service (800) 860-1460 www.mainebar.org/lawyer_need.asp
For \$25 an individual will be referred to an attorney and receive a ½ hour consultation. Everyone is eligible for this service.

The list below is an overview of the areas of law covered by each agency. Contact the agency directly to see if you qualify for their services.

Agency	Eligibility for service	Benefits (TANF & food stamps)	Debtor Issues & Bankruptcy	Divorce & Family Law	Domestic Violence	Eviction & Tenant Issues	Employment Issues	Foreclosure & Other Housing	Healthcare	Immigration & Citizenship Issues	Youth Issues	Other Civil Legal Issues
Disability Rights Center (800)452-1948 drcme.org	People with Disabilities	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
Immigrant Legal Advocacy Project (800)497-8505 www.ilapmaine.org	Low-income	✓			✓					✓	✓	✓
Legal Services for the Elderly (800)750-5353 mainelse.org	60 or older; Medicare help for everyone	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
Maine Center on Deafness (800)639-3884 mcdmaine.org	D/deaf (or) Hard-of-Hearing	✓				✓			✓			
Maine Equal Justice Partners (866)626-7059 http://mejp.org/	Low income	✓					✓		✓			✓
Penquis Law Project (800)215-4942 www.penquis.org	Low & moderate income; Penobscot, Piscataquis & Knox counties			✓	✓							
Pine Tree Legal Assistance (207)774-4753 ptla.org (or) statesidelegal.org	Low-income & Military/ Veterans	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
Volunteer Lawyers Project (800)442-4293 www.vlp.org	Low income	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓

The **Maine Commission on Indigent Legal Services** provides representation to low-income criminal defendants, juvenile defendants, parents in child protective cases, and people facing involuntary commitment to a psychiatric hospital, who are entitled to an attorney under the Constitution or Maine law.

<http://www.maine.gov/mcils>

(207)287-3257